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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action rendered January 28, 2009 in which a shortened statutory period for response of three (3) months was set. This response is timely in view of the Petition for Extension of Time submitted concurrently herewith. Applicants request reconsideration in light of the following remarks.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.